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RE-UNION AT THE RATLIFF

Proprietor Day Entertained A Large Number of Relatives Yesterday.

Proprietor C. G. Day, of the Ratliff, gave a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday to the Baldwin family and the immediate connections. There were in all thirty-three present, including Baldwins, Copenhavers, Kelleys, et al. Together at one table sat Judge Geo. C. Day, age 75 and C. G. Day, Jr., age 7 months, representing the eldest and youngest of the Day generation. The invited guests were:

Mrs. D. B. Baldwin, of Bluefield; Judge and Mrs. Geo. C. Day, of Indiana, parents of the proprietor; C. G. Day and wife and Master C. G. Day, Jack Copenhaver and wife, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Kelley, of Bluefield; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baldwin, Miss Lydie Baldwin, Miss Mary Baldwin, W. G. Baldwin and son, W. D. Baldwin, of Roanoke; Harry Baldwin, Mrs. Bettie Copenhaver, Dr. R. P. Copenhaver, R. M. Copenhaver, L. L. Copenhaver, J. O. D. Copenhaver, Miss Nan Whitman, Mrs. Barbara Moss, Miss Jennie Sullivan, Mr. Gollhorn, Miss Rose Killup, Miss Hellen Kelley, Master William and Pattie Ward Kelley, and Miss Mary Moore.

Proprietor Day gave a dance last night in honor of Miss Lydie Baldwin, Miss Mary Baldwin and Miss Jennie Sullivan.

Won a Moral Victory.

Miss Clara Logan, the Queen Titania of the Asbury Park baby parade, sat by a log fire, telling stories of children. "A woman," she said, "reclined on a couch in her library one night with the light low, trying in vain to go to sleep. 'Beside her, on a table, was a dish of fine fruit.

"As she lay there, she saw her little daughter tiptoe into the room in her long, white nightgown. The child, thinking her mother asleep, advanced cautiously to the table, took a bunch of grapes, and stole out again.

"The mother was grieved at such misconduct on the part of her good little daughter, but she said nothing.

"Five minutes passed. Then back into the room crept the child, the grapes in her hand, untouched. She replaced them on the dish, and, as she departed her mother heard her mutter: 'That's the time you got left, Mr. Devil.'—New York Tribune.

Cost Him Thirty.

Hugh Candill came up from Bluefield last Monday and brought enough booze inside his hide to make him crazy. He fired a pistol in the street, and proceeded to paint the town, but not for long. The Sargeant nabbed him. It cost Hugh just thirty bucks and a half—twenty for carrying a pistol, ten for shooting it off and a half for incidentals, and the pistol thrown in for good measure. Hugh is a good, quiet industrious boy when he is himself.

Moral: If you monkey with booze don't monkey with the Mayor.

Fire at Richlanks.

A barn and contents belonging to Mr. Geo. Brown was destroyed by fire last Friday. A buggy, hay rake, about 200 bushels of corn, and other things were in the barn, and burned. The origin of the fire is not stated.

Russell Man Elected.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 23.—Special.—Hon. Henry C. Stuart, of Russell county, was tonight elected temporary chairman of the Virginia State Fair Association. Mr. Stuart, who will undoubtedly be made permanent chairman, is a former state senator, a member of the state corporation commission, a leader in the recent constitutional convention, and a wealthy stock raiser of the southwest. The other officers of the organization are: John Stewart Bryan, vice-chairman, H. Lee Lorrain, secretary, and Capt. John G. Elliot, treasurer.

The Sick at Falls Mills

Falls Mills, Va., Nov. 27.
Mr. J. W. Tabor, who has had fever for some time, is greatly improved at this writing.

Mr. Oscar Crawford, of yards, who has been suffering with kidney trouble for some time, is thought to be a little better.

Mr. J. A. Sarver has a very sick child. His physician, Dr. Sheppard, has but little hope of her recovery.

Mr. Jim Wagner, of Uper Mud Fork, has two sick children. They were better at last report.

Mr. J. R. Harry has a sick baby, but it is thought to be better.

Mr. W. E. Dudley went to Welch Sunday.

Misses Bertha Harry and Midge Bryant were calling at the home of H. D. Dudley Sunday afternoon.

Saturday was payday all around, and everybody seems happy and merry since.

Mrs. Jim Baldwin and her sister, Miss Ella Gillespie, were visiting relatives in Bluefield last week.

Fine Xmas Presents.

Mr. P. L. Camden, with A. J. Rankin & Co., of Roanoke, Va., will have on display at the Ratliff Hotel a select line of Xmas goods—diamonds, watches, etc., and invite your inspection before placing your orders elsewhere. Time, Dec. 11, 12, 13, 14.

Costly Fun.

Last Friday night several boys, perhaps under the influence of mean liquor, celebrated on Tazewell Avenue by breaking gates, pulling and fences generally. On Monday, Andy Thompson, son of Fountain Thompson, Henderson and Wesley Thompson, sons of William Thompson, were before the Mayor on a warrant. Each of them contributed the sum of \$6.80 into the town treasury. In the meantime the owners of the destroyed property must look elsewhere for their damage. Such conduct as these boys indulged in cannot be too severely punished. If they had been made serve on the chaingang for thirty days it would have been a warning and penalty not too severe. It is a shame for young men to make such spectacles of themselves. It is not the first time that property has been wantonly destroyed in this town, and it is supposed this same crowd did it. At any rate, the present Mayor proposes to make such fun a costly indulgence in this town.

Attention, Virginia Editors.

We warn the Virginia Press Association not to consider the advisability of hobnobbing in joint session with our Kentucky brethren. The "Tarheels" did us up "brown" last year, but there is danger that Kentucky might do us up "done."—Virginia Citizen.

That's all right about Kentucky, but what of the proposal to have a mid-winter meeting with the Carolina editors on Virginia soil? The proposal was to assemble in Richmond and go to Florida. We rather think the Carolina brethren are waiting for an invitation. —Times Dispatch.

Wieman Baryta Company.

Mr. J. M. Dugger, general manager and superintendent of the Wieman Baryta Company, was in town several days this week. This company has been at Founding Mill about two years, owning property in the community. Senator, W. W. White, of West Virginia, is President, J. M. Dugger, Superintendent and General Manager. The company is getting ready to go to grinding and manufacturing and shipping about January 1, next.

Church Unroofed.

The roof of Ebenezer church, on Bluestone, was blown off by the wind Tuesday night. The church was in an unfinished condition. The old church, nearby has been torn away, and the material available used in the new one. The wind did considerable damage to the building.

Coal Mines at Richlands.

M. C. Corkle, of the Richlands Coal Company, was in town on Wednesday. He says his company is shipping about 200 or 300 tons of coal per day. J. M. Goodloe, Big Stone Gap, is President, C. R. McCorkle, Secretary and Treasurer.

The company is doing a good thing for themselves as well as for the town of Richlands.

Natatorium.

The "Ancient Editor," of the Register Department, is incapacitated for business, and one of his old friends comes to the front to explain: About one o'clock this p. m., Tuesday, the 28th, a baby girl was born in his home, to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Pearce—his first grand child. That the baby is a daughter, constitutes his first consolation, that the mother and baby are well, is the second, and that the sun is shining and the birds singing in sympathy with the happy event is the last.

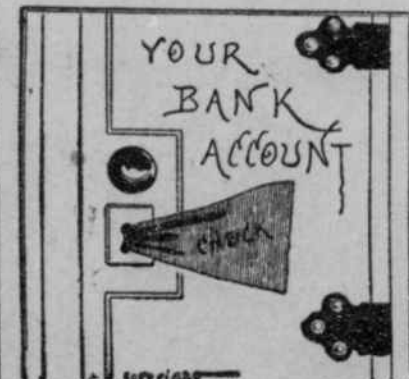
You may say what you please about boy babies and poets may rave of their possible achievements, but as for a girl, she is a thing of beauty, and a joy forever.

"The world was sad,
The garden was a wild,
And man the Hermit sighed
Till woman smiled."

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Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At Jackson's, price 50c and \$1. guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Wardell Notes.

Wardell, Va., Nov. 29.
Rev. Mr. King preached an interesting sermon at Widway Sunday morning.

Mr. George Ward and family, accompanied by Miss Sallie Davis, a charming young lady who is teaching in the Cove, spent Friday and Saturday with the family of Mr. S. B. Ward, of this place.

Mr. C. H. Peery, of Paint Lick, is serving on the jury in Tazewell this week.

Misses S. B. Ward and George Oney went to Tazewell on business Monday and returned Tuesday.

Damon and Pythias

The play, Damon and Pythias, will be given tomorrow night, at the Opera House. This play is of great interest to Knights of Pythias, as the order is based upon the principles set forth in this play. The public generally will also be greatly entertained and pleased. A number of taking specialties are introduced, and a good time is expected. There will be a full house.

Furious Fighting.

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and cured my diseases, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold, under guarantee to do the same for you, by Jackson, at 50c a bottle. Try them today.

Snow for Thanksgiving.

For several days and nights this week the weather was cloudy and stormy, the wind becoming very disagreeable. Then, as usual it rained and the wind ceased, and the weather cleared up cold Wednesday evening. Thursday morning snow was falling on frozen ground. So, Thanksgiving day was white, crisp, but not at all disagreeable.

The union service at Presbyterian church was interesting. All the pastors of the town took part. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Fugate, pastor of the Baptist church, and as are all his sermons, was interesting and appropriate.

The crowd was large, filling the church comfortably. After the sermon a collection was taken for the charity fund, amounting to several dollars.

The stores were generally closed for the service, and the day generally observed by the people.

A Fearful Fate

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Proruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at Jackson.

OBITUARY

Little Elizabeth, daughter of J. P. and Maggie E. Barret, was born Jan. 3, 1900, and went to her heavenly home beyond the stars, Nov. 2, 1905. Her stay on this earth was short, but joyed ones left behind will long cherish her memory.

The cause her death was diphtheria, and the dreaded disease did its work quickly and with little warning. Weep not, dear parents, for Elizabeth, is now with Him who said "suffer little children and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven." A Friend.

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BURGLARY AT NORTH TAZE-WELL.

On Wednesday night the cash drawers of Harman Bros. & Peery's large store was robbed of cash to the amount of about five dollars. Yesterday morning the front door was found unlocked and standing open, the burglars evidently entering by means of a duplicate key, or by picking the lock. Several young men left the store late Wednesday night, and all of them are positive that the door was locked when they left.

No goods were missed from the store.

Quite a number of similar burglaries have been committed in this town within the past few months, and it looks as though there might be an organized band of thieves in this community.

HOW ABOUT YOUR CHARTER?

It has been recently decided that the charters of a number of towns in this State are either defective or entirely void, under the new constitution. The statement was published a few days ago, and Pocahontas and Cedar Bluff, this county, were among the number. It has since been stated that only certain amendments to charters of several of the towns mentioned, are effected. The charter of the town of Cedar Bluff, this county, is void, that of Pocahontas is not affected, as we understand it has not been amended since 1902. The recent proposed bond issue of the town would have been illegal, but luckily was defeated.

Jas. S. Davenport Dead.

Mr. Jas. S. Davenport, one of the best known of the younger citizens of Graham, died at his home Wednesday, at 11 o'clock. His death was not unexpected, as he had been ill for some time, and his life despaired of. He leaves a wife and three small children. The burial took place yesterday, at Graham, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Mr. Davenport came from Kentucky to Graham about eight years ago. His wife was Miss McCall, daughter of the late J. M. McCall. He was brother-in-law to Dr. H. B. Frazier, J. E. Baylor, L. J. Barbee, C. O. McCall, Graham, H. G. McCall, Tazewell, and J. E. Jones, of Bluefield. No man in this section was more highly esteemed than deceased, and his death is greatly deplored.

Fire on Stony Ridge.

Charles Thomas, who lives on Stony Ridge, near Bailey, had the misfortune to lose his dwelling last Sunday evening, with almost every thing he had. The house was a new one, unfinished, and burned rapidly. Mr. Thomason was very badly burned in trying to extinguish the fire. A small house in the yard was also burned. About one hundred bushels of corn and other supplies were burned. The loss was a serious one to Mr. Thomason. He deserves the sympathy and help of his friends, particularly as his injuries from the fire will incapacitate him for work for some time.

The Official Vote of Virginia

The official vote of Virginia was canvassed Monday by State Board of Canvassers, for Superintendent of Public Instruction and Commissioner of Agriculture. The vote for other state officers will not be canvassed until the Legislature meets. But the Democratic majority is much greater than first reported. It will be about 40,000. The total vote cast was about the same as last year, 130,000, and the Democratic majority about 6,000 larger.

The following is the vote for the two offices that were canvassed:

For Superintendent of Public Instruction:

J. D. Eggleston, Jr.	84,644
J. N. Harman,	45,462

Eggleston's majority 39,182

For Commissioner of Agriculture:

G. W. Kolner,	83,639
W. H. Egghorn,	45,022

Kolner's majority 38,617